GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Transport Department – Making the existing Road Safety Fund as non-lapsable as per the directions of the Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety (SCCORS) – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (TRP.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No.159

Dated:15.03.2024
Read the following:

1. From the Secretary, Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety (SCCORS) Letter No.16/2016/CoRS, dated 24-11- 2016.
2. Government Memo No. 2346582/1/2024, dated 12-12-2023

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ORDER

1. The Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety vide the reference 1st read above, has directed all the States to set up a Lead Agency to be led by a senior officer supported by adequate and competent staff to deal exclusively with all matters related to Road Safety in the State.

2. The Committee further directed theStates to set up Road Safety Fund, which should be non-lapsable, and ensure that a steady flow of money accrues to the fund by diversion of significant portion of the fines/ compounding fee collected from traffic violations. The fund should not be solely dependent on budgetary allocations which may vary according to the financial constraints of the Government.

3. Accordingly, the Government, in consultation with the Finance Department , and in compliance of the instructions of the Committee in the reference 1st read above, has issued the orders as follows.

a. Making the existing Road Safety Fund as non-lapsable.
b. Transfer of an amount of Rs 50.00 crores to the Road Safety Fund.
c. Deposit of 30 % of enforcement fee to the Road Safety Fund in the future.

4. A committee under the Chairmanship of the Chief Secretary is already constituted to authorize the expenditure under the aforementioned fund.

5. In continuation of the orders issued above in the references read above, the Government, after careful examination of the matter and in adherence to the

instructions of the Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety, hereby issue the following orders.

a. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Andhra Pradesh is authorised to calculate &automatically transfer, every quarter, an amount equivalent of 30% of the enforcement revenues collected by the Transport Department and the Police Department to the Road Safety Fund.
b. The amounts so transferred to the Road Safety Fund, shall be informed,immediately after remittance, to the Transport Department
c. The Road Safety Fund is brought under the"No Treasury Control" mode of operation.

6. This order is issued in concurrence with Finance.U.O.Note.No. 2384372/Budget.I/2024,dated 15-03-2024

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PRADYUMNA P S
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

VSM 07.10.2024

To
The Transport Commissioner, A.P. Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, A.P. Vijayawada.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P. Mangalagiri.
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P. Mangalagiri.
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SECTION OFFICER